

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 24 2011

RE: H.B. No. 301
S.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui
President of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Economic Development and Technology and
Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred H.B. No. 301 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY COMPUTER SYSTEM
SPECIAL FUND,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to require that all
fees collected for electronic document certification, electronic
copies of documents, and for providing bulk access to electronic
court records and compilations of data shall be deposited into the
Judiciary Computer System Special Fund.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure
from the Judiciary.

Your Committees find that the Judiciary Computer System
Special Fund was established in 1996, to provide a source of
revenue to enable the Judiciary to upgrade its computer system and
increase computer-based digital and electronic document filing
related to traffic enforcement and civil, criminal, and appellate
case processing and management. The Judiciary has testified that
the Special Fund has been used for a number of major technology
initiatives including the implementation of the Judiciary
Information Management System (JIMS), an automated integrated case
management system that will improve court operations and how
courts conduct business and interface with the public. To date,
JIMS has been implemented for the Traffic and Appellate courts and
the statewide Jury system.

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Your Committees are supportive of the Judiciary's efforts to date, but your Committees are also concerned that these technology initiatives do not appear to be taking place in a coordinated and comprehensive manner. As a result, the income generated to fund the technology upgrades has not reached the levels anticipated when the Special Fund was established.

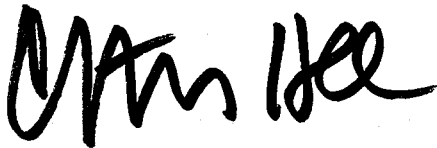
Your Committees urge the Judiciary to review their actions to date, the results, and any unanticipated consequences that may have affected the revenue intended for the Judiciary Computer System Special Fund.

Your Committees have amended this measure accordingly by:

- (1) Inserting an effective date of July 1, 2050, to allow for further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Economic Development and Technology and Judiciary and Labor that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 301, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 301, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Economic
Development and Technology and
Judiciary and Labor,



CLAYTON HEE, Chair



CAROL FUKUNAGA, Chair



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Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
FUKUNAGA, Carol (C)	✓			
WAKAI, Glenn (VC)	✓			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	✓			
SOLOMON, Malama		✓		
SLOM, Sam				✓
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HEE, Clayton (C)	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile (VC)	✓			
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les				✓
SLOM, Sam				✓
TOTAL	3	0	0	2
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